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## A MORNING TRAGEDY.

### OFFICER MARTIN DANGEROUSLY SHOT

The Victim of a Murderous Tough—The Shoot-ing Entirely Unprovoked—The Assas-sin Landed in Jail Condition of the Wounded Man.

The crack of the murderer's revolver has again been heard in this city and the victim of a brute's thirst for that notoriety which follows hard upon the heels of crime, now lies at his home dangerously if not mortally wounded. The murderer is Frank Martin, a young tough who has been steadily approaching the gallows for years, and whose greatest ambition is to shed as much blood as possible before stern, relentless justice overtakes him. His victim is Officer John Martin, one of the most efficient and highly respected members of the force, a man whose character as an officer and citizen is above reproach.

The tragedy occurred about 2:30 o'clock this morning. At that hour Officer Martin was walking his beat on Delaware street when his attention was drawn to three individuals who, made boisterous by a night's debauch, were creating a disturbance near Fourth and Wyandotte streets. The officer walked toward the men and when he arrived opposite them called out, requesting them to keep quiet. They made a衍ane reply, and the officer, after again fruitlessly warning them to stop making so much noise, crossed the street. The men did not move, nor make any demonstration whatever until the officer was within two or three feet of them, when one of the number suddenly straightened out his arm.

A FLASH WAS SEEN, a report heard, and the officer staggered and seemed about to fall. Before he could recover sufficiently to defend himself the assassin fired a second and third shot and then disappeared, followed by the two men who were with him. One of the last two shots fired went wide of its mark, but the other struck the victim in the back of the neck, making an exceedingly dangerous wound. The officer, weakened by his wounds, fell upon the sidewalk, where he was found by officers and citizens who were drawn to the spot by the report of the revolvers.

The rapid firing and sound of men running rapidly from the scene of the shooting soon drew a crowd and the prostrate and half unconscious officer was placed upon a litter and removed to the police station where his wounds were dressed by Police Surgeon Wood. He rallied while being carried to the station, and his mind became perfectly clear although he could speak only with the greatest of difficulty. After his wounds were dressed he walked to a hack and was driven home.

The officer's wounds were found to be of the most dangerous character although it is hoped they may not prove fatal. The first bullet entered his mouth, knocked out three or four teeth, fractured the left jaw and lodged somewhere near the root of the tongue. This would, as will be noticed by the course the bullet took, is remarkably like the one inflicted upon Surles by the murderous burglar who attempted to rob S. B. Baker's jewelry store, about two weeks ago. The second bullet struck Martin near the base of the brain but did not, it is believed, penetrate any vital point.

The shooting was done without the slightest provocation, and had it occurred a few hours earlier the assassin would have scarcely escaped summary punishment. The few who learned of the shooting urged that the prisoner be taken from the jail and hanged, but policemen stood guard above him and protected his worthless life.

After committing the crime the men separated and attempted to make good their escape, and an alarm was sent to all parts of the city and officers and detectives scattered in every direction, with orders to arrest every suspicious character they met. Officer Clarkins discovered Alexander Tular, a young bartender, on Main street near Fourth, shortly after the shooting, and placed him under arrest. He protested his innocence, but when taken to police headquarters and questioned he broke down and made a full confession. He admitted he witnessed the shooting and said it was done by Frank Martin. The murderer was well known to the police and in a short time they were chasing him from point to point and at last located him in a room at Tenth and Main streets. Roundman Hayde and Officers Clarkins and Collins knocked at the door but were refused admittance. They broke the door down and with drawn revolvers entered the room. Martin had evidently done all the shooting he wished to do and made no attempt at resistance, an act of discretion that kept him from being riddled with bullets. He was taken in charge and is now locked in a cell at police headquarters.

A small crowd gathered about the building while the arrest was being made and when the officers attempted to march the prisoner to the jail.

**THE TALK OF LYNNING** became so loud that they were forced to secure a key to keep Martin from being mobbed. The crowd meant business and would certainly have carried out the threat of lynching if it had not been for the determined manner in which the police guarded the prisoner. Martin, when arrested was in an ugly mood but denied the shooting.

The shooting occurred near a Fourth street bagnio and the supposition is the men had been visiting some of the houses on that street. It is also thought that the shooting was partly the result of mistaken identity. Martin, the prisoner, has been a notorious member of a gang which has made Broadway and Fifth streets its headquarters, and Officer Kane has been instrumental in making life unpleasant for the members. Martin had a grudge against Kane and, knowing he was patrolling that beat, determined to kill him. The prisoner is about 25 years old and is looked upon as a desperate character. His reputation as a desperado is borne out by the frightful record of bloodshed he has earned. So far as known he has never killed a man, but has shot and stabbed five if not more.

"Where did you get those buries on your head?"

"I got them while going the rounds with the boys."

At this moment Officer Collins, who was one of the arresting officers, came over where Martin and the reporter were sitting. Martin remarked that he felt chilly and feared that he would fall ill.

"Yes, you ought to have a chill," said Officer Collins with a considerate spirit, "after doing what you did last night."

"I was full and didn't know what I was doing," answered Martin.

"No, of course you didn't," said Collins. "You are one of the best men on the force. Did not Martin ever do you any harm?"

"I don't know. He ever did anything. But you are all laying it on me. You better catch these other fellows before going any further."

"That's all right," answered Collins, "we have already got them, and have the whole bunch arrested."

"It was too bad! too bad!" half murmured Martin, "but I was crazy drunk and did not know what I was doing."

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MONDAY. - FEB. 15, 1886.

Probabilities.

For this section: Fair weather, winds becoming variable and slightly colder, followed by a rise in temperature.

State Tax. The tax collector, Feb. 15, furnished by G. M. Plumb, optician, 71 Main street:

Minimum, 13; maximum, 33; mean, 26.

A.M.-S'cock, 21, 22; 10, 24; 11, 16; 22, 29.

M.A. & C. stock, 8, 13; 18, 23; 28, 33.

Amesbury, 8-8, a.m., 30; 41; 19, 30, 34.

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Monday, Feb. 8.....15,700

Tuesday, Feb. 9.....15,902

Wednesday, Feb. 10.....16,259

Thursday, Feb. 11.....16,181

Friday, Feb. 12.....16,210

Saturday, Feb. 13.....16,252

Total for the week.....98,495

Daily average for the week.....16,082

WHEN police officers are shot down in cold blood for resisting midnight roysters to keep quiet it would seem about time to make a general raid upon the toughs who infest the city. The guardians of the peace owe it to themselves and their families to rid the city of these characters. But two weeks ago a man was shot down in the presence of hundreds of people by a desperate thief who made good his escape, and it is not difficult to suppose that his immunity from arrest has encouraged other hard citizens to follow in his footsteps.

JOURNALISM seems destined soon to lose one of its brightest lights. Reports from the bedside of HENRY WATTERSON give little hope of his recovery, and even before these lines are read he may be numbered with the great majority. Mr. WATTERSON has done much for journalism and more for the people of his section. He has given the south the best paper it has ever had, and his labors in building up and re-establishing the conquered region have been fruitful of the best results. His death will bring sorrow to millions of people both north and south.

There is plenty of room at the top, was never more susceptible of proof than at the present time. Within a brief space of time all the old leaders in politics in this country have died or retired from public life. GRANT, McCLELLAN and HANCOCK of the great war generals are in their graves, and SHERMAN is retired. Within a decade all the great political leaders of war times have gone where politics are not. SEYMORE was about the last. Even the later leaders have disappeared and their places seem to be left vacant for men yet to come.

The clearing house statement for the week ended Saturday is another evidence of returned prosperity to the country. But four cities reported losses as compared with the corresponding period in 1885 and, except in the case of Memphis, the losses were insignificant. St. Joseph made the phenomenal gain of 150.3 per cent and Minneapolis reports an increase of 65.9. New York and Detroit each gained 40 per cent. Six cities gained between 30 and 40 per cent, two between 20 and 30, six between 10 and 20 and eight less than 10 per cent. The percentage of gain throughout the entire country was 35.6 per cent and outside of New York was 24.8 per cent. Kansas City gained 28.1 per cent or considerably more than the average gain outside of New York.

For the officer who was shot down last night by a drunken desperado the public will have the greatest sympathy. Within a few years three members of the police force have been murdered, and several have been terribly beaten by gangs of roughs. This sympathy at the present time is offered an excellent opportunity for demonstration. There is among the members of the police force a most useful organization known as the Police Relief association, which furnishes aid to sick or disabled members and to the wives and children of dead officers. A week from to-night this organization will give a ball, and all who appreciate the bravery of the force or feel sympathy for those who are wounded or killed in the discharge of their duty should buy tickets. It is a practical sort of charity well worthy of support.

## SENATOR PLUMB'S LAND BILL.

It is said there is a powerful, but very quiet lobby in Washington which is kept there in the interest of foreign capitalists to prevent laws being passed which would be hostile to aliens becoming real estate owners in this country, and that said lobby is very much worried over a bill introduced by Senator PLUMB to prevent the acquisition of real property by aliens. Whether there is any such lobby in existence we do not know; but if there is no reason for it to be discouraged, for no matter how good may be the intentions of Mr. PLUMB, there will be found means enough to circumvent the law after it has been passed, and foreigners can go on and acquire lands just the same as they have been doing. Whenever a law conflicts with the interests of capitalists it is no trouble and a very little expense to render it a dead letter, as witness the law passed by congress against the importation of pauper labor and the anti-Chinese immigration law. What is needed is not more laws, but the enforcement of what we have already.

As to the bill itself, which has been under consideration for sometime by the senate public lands committee, its provisions are tolerably fair, and were any hopes of its being enforced as a law its passage would be a great benefit to the Americans—both native-born and naturalized. It provides, first:

"That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, not citizens of the United States, or who have not lawfully obtained their intention to become such citizens, or for any corporation not created by or under the laws of the United States or of some state or territory of the United States, to hereafter acquire, hold or own real estate so hereafter acquired, or any interest therein in any of the territories of the United States or in the District of Columbia, except such as may be acquired in good faith in the ordinary course of justice in the collection of debts."

The first loophole in this section is in the words italicized. A man may declare his intention of becoming a citizen, secure his land, and yet never become fully naturalized. There is no limit set to the amount of land he may purchase under this law. To be of any benefit the foreigner should be prohibited from purchasing land until he has resided here the full term of years and completed the full naturalization. He is not an American citizen until that time, and if he will reside here that length of time and fulfill all the requirements of the present law with regard to becoming a citizen he should be entitled to take up the same amount of government land as a native born citizen and be subject to the same laws with regard to purchase as the native is. The second fault to be found with the above paragraph is that it only applies to the territories and District of Columbia and leaves open the purchase of government land in the states, the same as if there was no alien land law in existence. The public lands in all the states (except Texas) are as much under the control of the national government as those in the territories and the District of Columbia.

The following is the full text of section 3 and the section is intended to be a check on

corporations accumulating large bodies of land in the state.

Those organized for the purpose, or for the acquisition of railways, canals or turnpikes in any of the territories, or for the construction and operation of railroads, canals or turnpikes corporations may acquire or own lands in the territories for the proper operation of its railroad, canal or turnpike, except such lands as may have been acquired by the corporation whether acquired before or after the date which shall not be necessary for railroad, canal or turnpike corporations as aforesaid, shall be disposed of by the owner, holding or owning the same within ten years after the acquisition of the same, and if any such lands shall not be disposed of by the corporation, the same

shall be forfeited to the corporation, and the court of claims shall determine the value of the same.

The attempt to make a corporation which had acquired its lands before the passage of this or any other law, and under the provisions of some previously existing law, dispose of them in a time fixed by a law made subsequent to their purchase, would be operative and if the law is passed with such a provision in it, the whole thing will be dead letter. This is the same principle which the prohibitionists have endeavored to fasten on some of the states—confiscation—and which was decided unconstitutional a few days ago by a United States judge in Mr. PLUMB's own state.

All Hands Heading for Kansas City and the Southwest.

From the Wall Street News.

The St. Louis, Kansas City & Colorado railway company has sold a mortgage in the amount of \$20,000,000. The company has already commenced the construction of a new line of 100 miles opposite the new Chicago road of trade building. The building they propose to erect on Seventeenth and Prospect avenue to the west of St. Louis in thirty days.

The Pennsylvania is behind the scheme.

Neither the Pennsylvania nor the Vanderbilts are to be blamed for the recent developments in St. Louis. The Chicago & Alton, Chicago & Rock Island, Quincy, Wabash and Chicago & Rock Island roads are running to Kansas City, and west of Kansas City the Atchison & Topeka and Mr. Gould's southwestern system is also running to the southwest. It looks reasonable, therefore, to suppose that the Pennsylvania may want lines to the southwest, and will get a large extension of its system in the city and the west of St. Louis in thirty days.

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Stockholders' Meeting.

To the stockholders of the Kansas City and Wyandotte Pressed Brick Company—Notice is  
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JAMES Mc DANIELS, President.  
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Public Imprudent's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public  
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